

What is claimed is:

1. An alarm system, comprising:
  - a) an enclosure;
  - b) a microprocessor secured within said enclosure;
  - 5 c) a wireless receiver adapted to receive an alarm signal about at least one zone being monitored, said wireless receiver secured within said enclosure and electrically connected to said microprocessor;
  - d) a communications device in electrical communication with said microprocessor, said communications device adapted to initiate and complete a  
10 transmission when said receiver receives said signal, to a location apart from said zone.
2. An alarm system according to claim 1, wherein said communications device is secured within said enclosure.
3. An alarm system according to claim 1, wherein said alarm signal is prompted by a  
15 motion detector contained within said enclosure, said motion detector adapted to sense motion in a zone outside said enclosure.
4. An alarm system according to claim 1, wherein said alarm signal is prompted by a wireless switch placed at a location in said zone.
5. An alarm system, comprising:
  - 20 a) an enclosure;
  - b) a microprocessor secured within said enclosure;
  - c) a wireless receiver adapted to receive an alarm signal from at least one zone being monitored, said wireless receiver in electrical communication with said microprocessor;

d) a device physically remote from said enclosure for obtaining communication to a remote security station; and

e) a cordless communications device in electrical communication with said microprocessor, said cordless communications device adapted to initiate a transmission when said receiver receives said alarm signal, to a location apart from said zone, said cordless communication device adapted for communicating with said device for obtaining communication with a remote security station;

wherein said device physically remote from said enclosure for obtaining communication to a remote security station allows an alarm transmission to be sent from a location remote from said enclosure.

6. An alarm system according to claim 5, wherein said device for obtaining communication with a remote security station is comprised of a line seizure unit for capturing dial-tone and a transmitter.

7. An alarm system according to claim 6, wherein said means for communicating with said device for obtaining communication with a remote security station is comprised of a receiver for accepting signals from said transmitter.

8. An alarm system, comprising:

a) an enclosure;

b) a microprocessor secured within said enclosure;

c) an intruder detection device in communication with said microprocessor;

d) a transmission device in association with said enclosure for obtaining communication to a remote security station; and

e) a wireless communications device in electrical communication with said microprocessor, said wireless communications device adapted to initiate a

wireless transmission to said transmission device for obtaining communication with a remote security station.

9. A portable alarm system according to claim 8, wherein said transmission device establishes a connection with said remote security station through a telephone landline.

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